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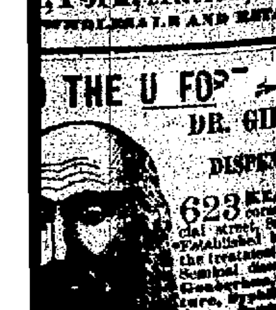

RAL NEWS.

Accuses Jeff Davis of Theft.

OUNT OF COIN NEVER FOR BY DAVIS.

Mr. O. B. Frothingham has Mrs. Lincoln's Phy— has not Become Rumors Denied.

TO THE OREGONIAN.] 19.—The Press has a column correspondent and Gen. which he charged Jeff large amount of money. He among soldiers, as they months, and so wrote Mr. Richmond to Charlotte; but to his suggestion. In as to what he knew about the money was put, Gen. Johnston followed or preceded the government of the confeder— the time Davis went in that

the amount of specie Davis

artillery officer of the prominent lawyer of Rich— character, told me he in— its removal from Richmond ready for transportation load of it. As he only saw he could of course give amount in dollars and however, was in immediate while president Davis was an opportunity of know— amount of money with the one except his immediate told me he was convinced the in specie at Greensboro. I regard's estimate was with— left Charlotte and moved told me, while standing a small creek. Many He said he was in 's manner and wanted was safe or not. The he had twenty wagon This would be in per— General's statement, that there it left Richmond, and with that there was $3,000,000 at

money left? Davis has never given knowledge, and what to me, northern people have for it.

Family. The son of the old caterer

Will Case. over the codicil to the left the residue of his for the endowment of a city. Surrogate Calvin ren— in which he sustained the originally made by deceased, should be applied to the for the benefit of needy

Land League. N. Y. special: Bishop Mc— on the cause of Irish sermon. He warned his regarding the "no rent" sanctified by the fol— loose consciences, and to secret organiza— that the lines were sharply between the revolutionists good Catholics.

Parting. Friday, Mrs. Mulvina died within a few hours Thomas Major, re— these," and although escaped long enough took Saturday night and

Denied. York special: The publish— Lincoln has lost the use of Lewis A. Sayre who has her return from Eu— told a Herald reporter considerably weak— had determined to call the oculists Dr. O. B. She had been accus— for some time and by an attendant, which and has been for several under treatment of Dr. she has lost her sight is

a Backslider. emphatically by Rev. of Unity in Boston, that in any manner recanted

John A. Ingram, a away to dry to— tearing the build— his wife and four

Chinese minister to accompanied by through en in a special car, Central Pacific pas— of the party go to and the remainder replace the recent em— by Chin Chi

& Co., grocers,

The Tribune's Washington conference took house of Cameron, of Platt, Kiefer and Senator that this conference President Arthur and Platt appointments. No details obtained. Platt left immediately after a sec—

special lists a new lot of are the lates: : Ex-Sena— reported, has been tendered not inclined to accept. appointment as U. the appointment of Massachusetts circuit to a caused by the death with the expectation of W. E. Chandler is men— navy department place. The interior between ex-Senators current to-night telegraphed to come at once

Ohio, whom political wise— ticket for the cam— levee in the cor— this morning. "Are in regard to your governor," in—

in it,' replied the Mr. Blaine is con— presidential candi— the fact when I last he was discharged satisfied with his

highly pleased over your re— by President Arthur, and administration will redound to and to the republican

governor, "I was much grati— with the president, and re— honest man, and further— administration will not be that will antagonize the

Notes. The senate judiciary com— to report back the nomi— attorney-general, with confirmed. naval affairs, decided to nomination of Pay Director general, and other con— until after the holidays. took possession of the

introduced a bill to California to take lands in lieu sections, found to be mineral

introduced in the house to-day concerning American citizens and in regard to discon— service.

the commission of J. C. secretary of state to-day. a large number of callers two colored delegations, one and the other by ex-Mar—

ended November 30th, immigrants, against 254,262 the

by Representative McMillan, tax, provides for the assess— a three per cent. tax from banking association, tele— company, or other incor— doing business in the territories, on all net incomes

by Representative Pettibone, army officers provides officers of the different from active service when years in the army, and retired when they have The bill further provides officers who have not and line officers who have not to properly perform their by the general of the who will convene a board of facts of the case, with recom— the board report disability performed in the line of placed on the retired list, with one year's pay.

Circulation. standard silver dollars put in circulation during the week ending December 17th was $448,995, as against $418,906 for the corresponding week of last year.

Blaine's Intentions.

Blaine was asked to-day which particular one of the many rumors about his movements and intentions was true: "I do not want to be interviewed," he said, "but I am willing to say it it is of any public interest that there are many things I do not intend to do. I have no intention whatever of moving to New York, as you state has been asserted, to take charge of the interests of any department of the M. R. & T. R. R. It is odd such statements should be imagined, as no proposition of such nature has been even remotely suggested to me. I don't intend to remove to New York either, for any reason. I shall remain in Washington and give my attention to a number of long neglected private interests. My principal business will be in connection with railroads in which I have embarked some capital; not millions, as I see it stated, but enough to make it an object for me to look after them. Mr. Elkins, Senator Davis of West Virginia and a number of other gentlemen whose names have been already mentioned are connected with the property, which is a first-rate one, and its development will occupy all my spare time."

"You have been credited with designing a southern tour."

"However much," replied Mr. Blaine, "I may be disposed to accept the very cordial invitations I have had to go south, I shall probably be obliged to decline them all. I have been necessarily a pretty busy man for the past twelve months and shall now seek either to avoid excitement or unnecessary activity."

"When will your new house be finished?"

"I don't know. We don't intend to occupy it, however, until next fall or winter."

"Your health is good, is it not?"

"Yes; much better than formerly."

Pitney's Examination.

The contingent fund investigating committee at this morning's session examined Pitney very closely about the manner of disbursing the contingent fund heretofore in the treasury, the law of its disbursement and wherever these laws have been violated, who was responsible for the violation, and so on. Pitney testified freely and tells a straightforward story. Said a person who heard his testimony: "Pitney is telling all he knows without reservation, and he knows a great deal. He has in fact turned state's evidence."

New Nominations.

The president has nominated Thos. C. Acton assistant treasurer of the United States at New York; Horace Gray of Massachusetts, associate justice of the supreme court of the United States; Wm. Henry Trescott of South Carolina, special envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to the republics of Chili, Peru and Bolivia; Geo. M. Duskin, attorney of the United States for the southern district of Alabama.

Blaine Declines.

A Washington special says ex-secretary Blaine has declined to deliver the eulogy on the late president Garfield before the house.

Railroad Commissioner's Report.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The report of Joseph K. McCammon, commissioner of railroads, has been received by the secretary of the interior. It says the indications are that within a short time there will be five different routes to the Pacific Coast, where less than a year ago there was but one. These railroads will be instrumental in developing the country rapidly. Capital has been invested in large sums, and still the tendency is towards increased developments, principally in the west and southwest. It is believed that operations in railroad construction this year will exceed those of any previous year, and in consequence large tracts of mineral and agricultural lands will be made accessible. The commissioner takes up the question of compensation to land grant railroads for transportation of troops and government supplies, and says: "I have reached the conclusion that fifty per cent. of the tariff for ordinary rates of companies would be a compensation just alike to railroads and the government, and proper for permanent application. Engineer Blackstone, while recognizing the general good condition of Pacific Railroads, says there is still left much to be done in order to bring them to that standard condition, and that true economy in their maintenance and operation which he suggests. The engineer criticised severely the faulty construction of many bridges and says comparatively few of them are supplied with proper safeguards against accidents. In conclusion he said the action of congress is invited to the fact that there is no uniform system of railroad signals in use, which is the source of confusion and should be remedied by appropriate legislation.

The Judicial Functions of our Consuls.

The report of the secretary of state on the necessity of introducing modifications into the extra territorial jurisdictional system of the United States in China, Japan and eastern countries where consular courts are allowed by treaties, is a long document. The secretary deals with the subject comprehensively without absolutely denying the constitutionality of the judicial acts of our ministers and consuls as the law now stands, and shows there is ample room to question the entire conformity of their procedure to the constitutional duties of consular officers, and as a rule to discharge judicial functions. It is considered in conclusion that the needs of the consular service demands men of business capability, alive to the interests of trade, rather than trained jurists. Passing to the consideration of a reformed code of extra territorial jurisdiction, the secretary suggests the constitution of a proper court of the United States at the principal center of foreign intercourse with a country, selecting Shanghai in China for instance, the appointment of an American judge there with functions analogous to those judges in the federal district courts of the United States, and holding office for life or during good behavior. Also provision for choosing grand juries to present indictments, and ordinary juries to treat cases, appointment of clerks, thus making the court one of records; nomination of associated justices in larger commercial cities, with powers and functions precisely defined by law, promulgation of an intelligent code; holding all terms at the seat of the principal court, and liberty appellate recourse to circuit courts of the United States. Since the present law was passed seven capital convictions have been made in all China and Japan. Execution of sentence was performed following the conviction in the case of Jno. H. Buckly, hanged at Shanghai in '64, after denial by Minister Burlingame of the privilege of appeal to executive clemency. Another case mentioned is that of Diakillo, convicted of murder by the consular court at Hiogo, and pardoned by the president on condition of undergoing a life imprisonment, but who has refused to accept such conditional commutation, and is now held in prison under indefinite postponement of execution of the death sentence. The recent well known case of Mirzan at Alexandria is also referred to.

The Latest Cabinet Speculations.

There is to-day a very high and apparently ample authority for predicting that ex-Senator Sargent will shortly, after the holiday recess, be appointed to a place in the cabinet, and strong indications point to the secretaryship of the interior as the position to which President Arthur intends to assign him. The president's choice for the navy department seems now to lie between General Edward F. Beale and ex-Senator Boutwell, with chances at present favoring the former, whose appointment is strongly urged by General Grant. The widely circulated report that ex-Senator Chaffee is booked for either the interior department or postmaster generalship is entirely destitute of substantial foundation. President Arthur has no intention of appointing Chaffee to any cabinet position, and in fact has never taken his candidacy into serious consideration. An impression prevails in well informed circles to-day that some obstacle has arisen in the way of Chauncey I. Filley's appointment as postmaster general, and that ex-Senator Howe now has the best chance for that position, but the question is still unsettled and will perhaps remain undecided until after the holidays. Sargent is expected to arrive here in a day or two, and it is said he comes to Washington at the request of the president for the purpose of consultation in regard to his place in the cabinet. It is generally understood that there will be no further cabinet nominations sent to the senate until that body reassembles in January, at which time Postmaster General James will retire and the formation of a new cabinet will be completed.

Report of Commissioner of Agriculture.

In his annual report to the president the commissioner of agriculture says the expense of the attempt to cultivate the tea plant in South Carolina have been somewhat curtailed without detriment to the experiment. One of the experts (Saunders) who visited the tea farm established in Summerville, S. C., reports that the two hundred acres of land selected for the experiment are most of them covered with a heavy forest growth, poor and sandy, and of a character to support only the scantiest kind of vegetation. Of this about fifteen acres have been cleared and was under primitive cultivation. On these acres operations were commenced in January last. A space was prepared for sowing the tea and preparations made for covering the plants, which when young suffer severely on being exposed to the sun. The plants were growing well and constituted the entire tea crop of the farm. Saunders reported that with regard to the future prospects of the enterprise, if continued in the line of the present system, it may be said there is not much room for encouragement. The poverty of the soil and character of the climate in which frosts sometimes occur, seem to be unfavorable to the production of strongly flavored teas, as already been proved by experiment in McIntosh. Prominence is given to the report of veterinary surgeons sent to Great Britain to inquire into alleged importations from the United States of diseased cattle, and the commissioner believes the misunderstandings on this subject have given way before convincing proofs presented by American surgeons. Recognizing the importance to our western farmers of acquiring data upon which to predicate as to the probable action of the Rocky mountain locust in 1882, I have had an agent specially engaged under direction of the entomological bureau to gather such data in their permanent breeding grounds of this pest, for the most part in the thinly settled regions of the northwest. Remembering the invaluable loss and suffering which this insect entailed between 1873 and 1877, losses which largely helped to prolong the commercial depression of that period, this information seems to be of sufficient moment to warrant an annual observation of a more extended nature. Commissioner Loring expressed the intention making the crop reports much more accurate and exhaustive than heretofore.

Haske called up the house resolution that the rules of the forty-sixth congress be the rules of the present house.

Hawk introduced a bill for protection of the person of the president of the United States. It provides for the punishment by death for assault with intent to kill the president. If it shall be shown that the assailant was irresponsible at the time of the assault he shall be confined in an insane asylum for life referred.

Adjourned till Wednesday.

The House Committees.

Speaker Kiefer intends to announce the house committees next Wednesday. Although the list is not yet fully completed in all the details, it is practically certain that Page, of California, will be made chairman of the committee on commerce, and that Pacheco will become chairman of the committee on private land claims.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Notes from the Land of Divilmint and Distriss.

OPPOSITION TO RENT PAYING ON THE INCREASE.

A Prison Said to be in Preparation for the Special Use of Members of the Ladies' Land League—"United Ireland" Removed to London.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

DUBLIN, Dec. 19.—A quantity of arms and ammunition was discovered early this morning in a house on Brabagon street. Four persons were arrested. The articles seized comprise eight hand grenades, two parcels of dynamite, each parcel being in a case resembling a box of rifle cartridges, but larger; 26 Enfield breech-loading rifles, six revolvers, five thousand rifle cartridges, five hundred revolver cartridges and 28 pounds of gunpowder, with a list of officers belonging to some organization. Two brothers named Whelan and a man named Ryan, were arrested. The Whelans kept a marine store. The accused were arrested on private information. The guns seized are of old date and had evidently been secured for the Fenian organization of 1867. The discovery is believed to be closely connected with the Bradford affair for which Toby was arrested. Papers found at the time implicate a number of persons on both sides of the channel. No doubt the material is associated with the Fenian's constabulary barrack at Crowber, near Hill of Downmeath, maliciously burned to the ground while the occupants were asleep, and who barely escaped with their lives.

Organizing against Rent Paying.

DUBLIN, Dec. 19.—Organization against the payment of rents is becoming still more formidable. It is regarded as much of a crime to go into the land court as to pay rent. A list of persons have been served with notices and those suspected of paying rents are posted at chapels and other places where they can be seen and although the police tear them down they soon are posted again.

Will not Establish a Precedent.

The countess of Crawford and Balcarry has announced that she is determined not to offer a reward for the restoration of the body of her husband, the earl, in order not to create a precedent and encourage a repetition of such outrages. She has requested her son to do the same.

Much Displeasure Created.

CORK, Dec. 19.—Considerable dissatisfaction is felt among Irish constabulary at the new movement at recruiting their force from militia and soldiers whose terms of service have expired. So strong is the feeling that men will refuse duty with new recruits, and general strike is apprehended.

Owing to the disturbed state of Ireland Lords Donoughmore and Aughnlin will quit their residences.

Danger Ahead for the League.

DUBLIN, Dec. 19.—It is stated a prison especially designed for females is in course of preparation for the reception of members of the ladies land league, and that the arrest of several prominent members of the Dublin branch of that organization is expected.

Land Court Decision.

DUBLIN, Dec. 19.—Commissioners under the land act to-day decided that a notice to fix rent if served only upon an agent's clerk will be deemed sufficient service. This decision, against which no appeal will be allowed, is to govern 15,000 cases.

Attempted Murder.

Shots were fired into the house of Masson, employed by Magistrate Golbreight, and five persons were arrested in connection with the affair.

Another Cry of Distress.

The Manchester *Guardian* joins in the general condemnation of Blaine's letter of instructions to Lowell regarding the Clayton-Bulwer treaty.

Moving to London.

All the type and machinery of *United Ireland* has been forwarded to London where the paper will be printed.

Fatal Explosion.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—An explosion has occurred in a colliery at Bolton. It is reported that 150 lives were lost.

Report Denied.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—It is denied that Queen Victoria will open parliament in person.

A Troubled Empire.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 19.—Five hundred arrests for political offenses have been made the present year. Many arrests are due to false accusations, and it is stated the false accusers will be proceeded against.

Assassination Plot.

BERLIN, Dec. 18.—A report is current here that another mine assassination plot has been discovered at the Russian imperial palace at Gatschina, and several officers are arrested on suspicion of complicity.

Cannot Wait.

BERLIN, Dec. 19.—It is said Germany does not intend to await the return of Von Schloezer to Rome, but proposes to entrust negotiations at the Vatican to another diplomat.

Tunisian War Movements.

TUNIS, Dec. 19.—Gabes has been selected as the chief military station of the French in the south. Much dissatisfaction is shown at this decision, because of the unhealthiness of the place. The powerful tribes south of Gabes profited by the retirement of Gen. Logerot's column to form a defensive alliance, and their attitude is thus threatening.

AN UNUSUAL SCENE.

Guiteau's Former Wife and her Husband Bidding the Brute Good-by.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Guiteau has had his usual number of Sunday callers. He is now despondent, when not surrounded by a crowd. Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Dunmire, his former wife, accompanied by her husband and little girl, called upon him to say good-by. At first Guiteau appeared oblivious of their presence, but raising his eyes suddenly they fell upon the lady's face. The unexpected visit rather unstrung the prisoner, and for an instant he hung his head but brightening suddenly he walked forward, took her hand, and said he was pleased to see her. She was visibly affected, and tears welled up in her eyes, and rolled down her cheeks as she said, "Charlie, I am sorry to find you in this condition."

"Oh, don't mind that," replied the prisoner, calmly. "I am sorry that the whelp (evidently referring to District Attorney Corkhill) brought you here. But he was disappointed in his purpose. I did nothing, you see, to embarrass you."

"I have called to say good-bye," Mrs. Dunmire responded, evidently desirous of ending the interview, "for I may never see you again," and then weeping she held out her hand as if to say farewell.

Guiteau was not satisfied, however, to stop the interview there and as if to prolong it turned toward the lady's little girl and asked how old she was, adding as a peculiar look passed over his face and his thin lips twitched nervously, "Anna, I can wish you no harm. I hope your life may be prosperous and happy."

Mr. Dunmire, who had been a silent spectator all that time, then walked over to Guiteau and said, "Guiteau, I must bid you farewell also." We may never meet again."

Guiteau took the proffered hand but turned his head away, and it was evident he was impressed with the truth of his visitor's remarks. Without waiting for a reply, Mr. Dunmire added, "We say good-bye for I hope we will be off to Leadville again by Monday. It's too close around here for me."

"It's too close hereabouts for me also," broke in the prisoner with a ghostly smile. "I wish that I was a laborer out in Leadville." The Dunmires then separated.

Opinions on Guiteau's Sanity

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—John W. Guiteau, brother of the assassin of the president, who became convinced of Charles' insanity after visiting him in his cell, in conversation with a *Tribune* correspondent, gives his reason for his present belief, and makes argument in support of the defense of irresponsibility. Experts think the assassin is playing a part and that he shapes his conduct pretty much from what he reads in newspapers.

Scoville Thinks Guiteau Spoiled his Case.

Scoville is reported as saying he thinks Guiteau is spoiling his case as far as he can. Guiteau does not seem able to see what is to come from questions Scoville asks witnesses, and when he lays a foundation for contradicting witnesses, Guiteau does positive injury to himself and spoils the whole thing by correcting witness on the spot, and putting him on his guard. This has been the case in regard to witness Shaw for example. Scoville says in reference to Mrs. Dunmire, he can prove she said at the time of her divorce, to Dr. Bowker, of New York, that she thought she ought to remain with Guiteau, as she believed he was insane and needed some one to care for him.

An Egotistical Knave.

Guiteau, when he was leaving the courtroom today, stopped at the district attorney's desk and said, "Corkhill, I have had a model taken from my head for a bust. I will be a great man yet, Corkhill, if you will let me alone."

Guiteau Notes.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Proceedings in the Guiteau trial will very probably come to a standstill for several days in consequence of the serious illness of the wife of Juror Hobbs. At a late hour to-night the lady was reported to be very low and not expected to live through the night.

A plaster cast was made to-day of Guiteau's head by Clark Mills, assisted by his son, Theodore Mills. After some hesitation the assassin consented to have his beard removed, and then allowed the cast to be made. After the operation Guiteau expressed himself highly gratified with the result.

A Juror's Wife Dead.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—A *Herald's* Washington special says: Mrs. Hobbs, the wife of a juryman in the Guiteau case, is dead.

The Guiteau Trial Postponed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Criminal court opened at 11 o'clock and Guiteau was escorted to his seat by officers. The announcement was immediately made of the death of the wife of Juryman Hobbs, and court adjourned until Wednesday.

A Donation to Scoville.

A mysterious box, supposed to be an infernal machine, was received yesterday from Michigan. Scoville opened the box, which was found to contain three dollars in ten cent pieces, collected by an old lady for the benefit of Scoville.

A Recent Decision.

The supreme court to-day, in the case of Linnehan, who brought suit some time since for obtaining the office of chief of police of San Francisco, reversed the ruling of the court below wherein the registrar was directed to issue to Linnehan a certificate of election. The court, in deciding, says the statute requires, as a condition precedent to issuance of a certificate of election, the declaration of such election by a board of election commissioners. There was no declaration of election commissioners in this case, and besides this court, previous to the last municipal election in the city and county of San Francisco, determined that under existing laws the chief of police was not one of the officers to be elected at that election.

DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENCE

Between Blaine and Hurlbut Concerning the Cachet and Landreau Claims in Peru.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Additional dispatches between Secretary Blaine and Minister Hurlbut, minister to Peru, are furnished for publication. Under date of August 4th, Secretary Blaine addressed Gen. Hurlbut in reference to certain alleged claims of citizens of the United States upon the government of Peru. The secretary says the two claims for which special consideration and active intervention have been asked are those known as the Cachet claim and the Landreau claim. In reference to the former, you will take no step committing your government to use its good offices without first reporting in full to this department for well considered and definite instruction. In regard to the Landreau claim, I see no reason to differ from the conclusions from which my predecessors seemed to have arrived. John C. Landreau was an American citizen, apparently entitled under a lawful contract to reasonable compensation for important services to the Peruvian government. In conformity with established practices of our government, while you cannot in such case make an official demand for settlement of his claim, you will employ your good offices to procure its prompt and just consideration. You will have observed that in the contract made by the Peruvian government with Landreau and his brother, it is expressly stipulated that any questions arising under its provisions should be submitted to judicial tribunals of Peru, and that in no case shall diplomatic intervention be asked. You will also notice that the supreme court of Peru in sustaining the decision of the court below, has ruled it had no jurisdiction in this contract, thus leaving Landreau in a position in which he can neither appeal to his own government nor obtain judgment from tribunals to which by contract he was authorized to apply in Peru. While this government will not, as at present informed, undertake to construe the contract or decide upon the extent of compensation due Landreau, you are instructed to call to the attention of the Peruvian government that the United States will expect some adequate and proper means to be provided by which Landreau can obtain a judicial decision upon his rights. If the constitution of Peruvian courts or the interpretation of law by Peruvian judges deprive Landreau of justice, which the contract itself guaranteed him, then in the opinion of this government Peru is bound in duty and in honor to do one of three things, viz., supply an impartial tribunal, extend the jurisdiction of the present courts, or, submit the case of Landreau to arbitration.

I desire also to call your attention to the fact that in an anticipated treaty which is to adjust the relations of Chili and Peru, the latter may possibly be compelled to submit to a loss of territory. If the territory to be surrendered should contain guano deposits which were discovered by Landreau and for the discovery of which Peru contracted to pay him a royalty on tonnage removed, then the Peruvian government should in the treaty stipulate with Chili for reservation and payment to Landreau of the amount due under his contract. If the transfer be made to Chili, it should be understood that this claim of an American citizen if fairly adjudicated in his favor shall be treated as a prior lien on the property to which it attaches, and that Chili accepts the cession with that condition added. As it may be presumed, you will be fully informed as to the progress of negotiations between Chili and Peru for a treaty of peace. You will make such effort as you judiciously can to secure for Landreau a fair settlement of his claim. You will take special care to notify both the Chilian and Peruvian authorities of the character and status of the claim, in order that no defective treaty shall be made in disregard of the rights which Landreau may be found to possess.

On Sept. 14, Minister Hurlbut writes to Secretary Blaine: In the Landreau case the proofs are sufficient, and the condition in which the Peruvian government have left the complainant, forms just ground for a decided appeal to their sense of justice. As at present advised, I have no faith whatsoever in to Peruvian company, not much in J. R. Shepherd, and am wholly in the dark as to the honesty or value and extent of the Cachet claim. If half his statement is true and the United States assumes charge of claim, we should own Peru by a mortgage which can never be paid.

Nov. 17, Secretary Blaine writes: Your letter No. 12, in reference to the Cachet and Landreau claims, indicates a prudent and discreet course on your part. After instructions in my letter No. 7, in regard to this subject had been mailed, I became convinced there was no need of even the preliminary which I suggested in regard to the Cachet claim. There is no just ground whatever on which this government could intervene on behalf of it, and in so far as there may be any basis for the claim at all, it originates in the demand of a native Peruvian against his government. If American citizens purchased an interest in such claim, they purchased nothing more than the original claimant possessed. They did not and could not purchase the good offices of this government and you are instructed not to extend them in the case of the Cachet claim. Your proposed course in regard to the Landreau claim is approved, but that claim must not, of course, be pressed in any manner that may seem to embarrass Peru in the hour of her great distress. Your previous instruction to use your good offices in procuring an adjudication of the Landreau claim, was made in view of the possible fact of which there was a wide rumor that numerous French and English claims were to be presented, in which event I was anxious the resources of Peru should not be exhausted in the settlement of other claims to the prejudice and detriment of the one belonging to an American citizen. You will still be guided by the spirit and intent of those instructions. The statements which you say were made to you by Jacob Shepherd, are very extraordinary. It is in the first place extraordinary that he should have written you at all, for I carefully advised him that ministers of the United States in foreign countries were not permitted to extend their good offices in aid of any claim unless so instructed by the department of state. I repeatedly told him that any representations on the behalf of claims he was urging must be made at Lima by his own agent. His writing you was, therefore, an impropriety and his attempting to instruct you as to what I had written you, was as grotesquely absurd as the language he attributed to me. He simply makes a mistake common to a certain class of honest enthusiasts, who imagine a polite and patient listener is the author of their own extravagant fancies. I recognize several of the singular propositions imputed to me as having been made by Shepherd and not in any sense admitted or assented to by me. I told him in three or four interviews which he sought with me that I could see no possible ground on which the United States government could lend its good offices in the Cachet claim. You will therefore pay no attention whatever to anything Shepherd may write you in regard to any claims against the government of Peru. You will indeed do well to return at once to the writers any letters you may receive relative to claims, unless you first have the matter regularly referred to you by the department of state. Such reference will be made, except in cases where in your judgment there is a denial of justice to an American citizen. Legations of the United States in foreign countries must not be converted into agencies for the prosecution of private claims.

Again, Nov. 19, Secretary Blaine wrote Mr. Hurlbut as follows: On the 27th ultimo I sent you the following telegram: "Your position must not be used in aid of any industrial or any financial or speculating association." On the 2d inst. I received your reply in these words: "It has not been;" it will not be." My reason for telegraphing you was the continual circulation of rumors that the aid of your legation was earnestly desired to promote the interest of the Credit Industrial of France association, which is making efforts to reorganize the finances of Peru. Agents of the credit industrial had visited the department of state and ineffectually endeavored to enlist the interest of this government in their behalf. However trustworthy the credit industrial may be I did not consider it proper for the department to have anything whatever to do with it. It is a foreign corporation and irresponsible to French law and must seek its patronage and protection from France. At the same time it is not particularly your duty to interfere with its negotiations with the Peruvian government. If it can be made an effective instrumentality to aid that unhappy country in its prostrate and helpless condition it would be ungenerous and unjust to obstruct its operations. Your duty is negative and you will have fully complied with your instructions by simply abstaining from all connection with the association. I have another word of caution to give you. I presume you will be asked by agents or officers of the Peruvian company of New York to lend your influence as U. S. minister to promote its interests. It would of course present to you the claim of an American organization composed of reputable citizens and entitled to your good offices, where they may with propriety be extended, but you will specially avoid any advocacy of the claims of that or any other company or individual in pursuit of personal ends or business enterprises. To a minister of your experience I need not point out the proper distinction between diplomatic good offices and personal advocacy. To extend all proper protection to American citizens and to secure for them in any interests they may have, a respectful hearing before the tribunals of the country to which you are accredited, and generally to aid them with information and advice, are among your imperative and grateful duties.

Plain and Just Comment.

[New York World.]

A remarkable feature in Guiteau's cross-examination yesterday was the skill with which the prisoner parried Judge Porter's questions as to whether he was aware when he shot President Garfield that he was violating the law. Guiteau's answers, or rather his refusal to give a direct answer to such questions, and the deft manner in which he turned the drift of the examination to other subjects, show that at least he knows how to avoid flatly incriminating himself, and a criminal with that degree of knowledge is quite sane enough to be held responsible for his acts. It has been held by the highest authorities in this country and in England that an insane delusion as to the necessity or advisability of taking human life does not excuse a murderer who knows, as Guiteau clearly did, that his delusion involves a breach of the law.

CAUSE AND EFFECT.

The main cause of nervousness is indigestion, and that is caused by weakness of the stomach. No one can have sound nerves and good health without using Hop Bitters to strengthen the stomach, purify the blood, and keep the liver and kidneys active, to carry off all the poisonous and waste matter of the system. See other column.—*Advance.*

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.

After 15 minutes spent in receiving petitions the senate went into executive session and unanimously confirmed the nominations of Brewster as attorney general, and Davis as assistant secretary of state.

House concurrent resolution for adjournment over the holidays; referred to committee on appropriations.

Doors reopened and on motion of Allison, authority was given for the printing of testimony taken by the committee of investigation of accounts and expenditures of the executive department.

Hoar presented the same bill as that introduced by Edmunds in the last congress to fix a day for the meeting of the electoral college and regulate the counting of electoral votes.

Jones, of Florida, in discussing the question of presidential disability, held that under strict construction of the law there was no such thing as temporary inability. He asserted emphatically that when once a vice-president entered the president's office in case of such grave inability as to justify that step, he holds it irrevocably for the balance of the term. Debate terminated by sending resolutions of instruction to the judiciary committee to inquire and report legislation on the subject, with a bill.

Garland's bill was also referred to that committee.

The chair submitted executive documents in response to a senate resolution relating to the seizure of Vincenzo Rebello, an Italian, in the city of New Orleans; also a report of the secretary of state relating to the necessity of modifying consular jurisdiction in eastern countries.

After a short executive session senate adjourned.

House.

On motion of McKinley the senate bill granting the franking privilege to Lucretia R. Garfield was passed.

Bills were introduced as follows: By Tillman, to authorize national banks to make loans on mortgages of real estate; also for relief of owners and purchasers of land sold for direct taxes in insurrectionary states.

Call was introduced by Deuster and sworn in.

By Simonton, to abolish duties on salt, woolen blankets and agricultural implements, and reduce the duty on all other articles ten per cent., except on diamonds, gold and silver jewelry, silk or silken goods, on which duty is increased 20 per cent.; also to repeal the arrears of pensions act; also to make trade dollars legal tenders.

By Regan, to regulate inter-state commerce; also allow the purchase and register of foreign-built ships by United States citizens.

By Wilson, in relation to Chinese indemnity funds; also providing for a treaty with Mexico.

Bills were also introduced to provide for a drawback of 10 per cent. on all goods hereafter imported in American built ships, owned exclusively by citizens of the United States; to regulate customs duty on sumac; to regulate duties on sheep and goatskins imported for the purpose of making Morocco; to abolish the export tax on tobacco, and for the admission of Dakota, New Mexico and Washington territories into the union as states.

On motion of Hubbell of Michigan a resolution was adopted giving house or senate employes discharged since December 5th, one month's pay.

A senate bill was passed providing that in the District of Columbia when a legal holiday falls on Sunday it shall be observed on the following Monday.

By Carpenter, to increase the duty on flax seed and linseed oil.

By Updegraff, fixing the time for counting votes for president and vice president and providing for contests of their election.

By Anderson, appointing a special committee on transportation routes to the seaboard. Keston moved to suspend the rules and adopt a resolution for reappointment of the inter oceanic committee. Randall opposed the resolution on the ground that standing committees ever able to take recognizance of the question and on the further ground, that a committee of last congress had charge of the subject looking to an appropriation of $50,000,000. He was not in favor of asking to facilitate the creation of a committee involving such expenditure of public funds. Result if vote, yeas 98, nays 15.

Randall raised the point of no quorum and the resolution was referred.

Speaker laid before the house the following message from the president, transmitting a communication from the secretary of interior in relation to an application of the Chicago, Texas, and Mexico Central Railroad Company.

A New Chinese Bill.

Under supplemental call of states for bills in the house of representatives to-day, Berry introduced a bill to restrict Chinese immigration, the main features of which are as follows: It wholly suspends and prohibits from and after its passage the immigration of Chinese laborers of every class or description and provides that no Chinese subjects shall be permitted to enter the jurisdiction of the United States, other than such as are residents therein at the time of the bill's passage, and the following, namely: Diplomatic officers, teachers, students coming for educational purposes, merchants, physicians, and tourists, with their body or household servants, all of whom must be provided with certificates from the Chinese government in Chinese and English, fully identifying them and showing that they have obtained permission of the Chinese government and approved also by the U. S. consul at the point of departure.

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FIRES.

Church Burned.

LACROSSE, Dec. 18.—The Baptist church burned yesterday. Loss $12,000, insurance $15,000. A fireman was seriously, perhaps fatally hurt.

Fire at Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 19.—Klein, Logan & Co.'s tool works on Thirteenth street were damaged $60,000 worth by fire this evening.

Fire at St. Paris.

ST. PARIS, Ohio, Dec. 19.—A fire yesterday destroyed Kizer & Lewis' flouring mill, Duttaker & McMoran's grain warehouse and stable, and the Panhandle depot. Loss $50,000.

Railroad Shops Burned.

LORVINE, O. Dec. 19.—A fire yesterday destroyed the Cleveland, Tuscarawas Valley & Wheeling Railroad shops with contents, including machinery, tools, stock, one coach and three tenders. Loss estimated at $50,000 to $75,000.

Accidents at a Fire.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—By a fire in West Fourteenth street, Mario Burns, a servant, was very badly burned, and Patty Lewis, a colored servant, seriously injured by a fall to the yard, the rope by which she was lowering herself to the ground having broken. Other occupants were rescued by firemen.

CANADA.

Custom House Seizures.

MONTREAL, Dec. 18.—Customs officers seized $8000 worth of watches and jewelry belonging to Patterson of Boston, and charged with being smuggled here.

A Poet of Nature.

A Yamhill poet, who is looking for a publisher, has on hand a mass of sweet and limpid verses, of which the following is a specimen:

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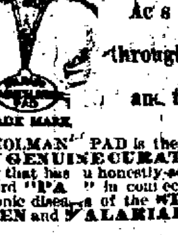

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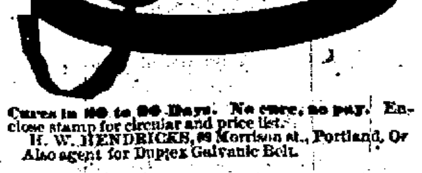

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STEADILY DOWNWARD.

In that division of his report which relates to commerce and navigation the secretary of the treasury tells in a few words the story of our humiliating position upon the ocean. It is needless to say that the number of American vessels employed in our foreign trade continues to diminish. The total tonnage of vessels entered from foreign ports during the year ended June 30, 1881, was 15,630,451 tons, showing an increase over the preceding year of 379,212 tons, or about 2½ per cent. But the American tonnage entered in the foreign trade exhibits for the year a *decrease* of 221,020 tons, while the foreign tonnage shows an *increase* of 600,232 tons. Of the exports of merchandise, an amount of the value of $116,955,324 was shipped in American and $777,162,714 in foreign vessels. Of the combined imports and exports of merchandise, 16 per cent. only of the total value was conveyed in American vessels, and the amount of transportation to and from our ports in our own vessels has fallen off 1 per cent. in the fiscal year 1881, as compared with that of 1880.

This is a dismal exhibit. Foreign ships earn more than $100,000,000 a year by carrying the products of our country to market, and a vast additional sum by bringing to us the articles we receive in exchange. England draws enough from the United States through this method alone to carry the burden of her national debt. Under the delusion that we are "protecting" ourselves we are giving her this stupendous advantage. And the thing is going from bad to worse. It appears not improbable that in a few years more not an American vessel will sail the seas, except to a limited extent in our coasting trade, from which foreign vessels are wholly excluded.

The patent fact is that capital has been driven out of shipbuilding and shipowning. It has been driven out by a policy devised and maintained expressly to make iron and other necessary materials high, so that iron makers and others may obtain large profits. It is a settled fact that under this system we cannot build ships, and as our merchant marine is steadily dwindling year by year and bids fair soon to become extinct, there certainly can be no harm in trying another course. The experience of our farmers for years past, particularly on the Pacific Coast, would seem to indicate with sufficient clearness that more ships are wanted. But a congress, under control of "protected" interests, never thinks of the farmer, who bears all the burden. And the farmer allows the politician, who is in league with the protected monopolies, to pull the wool over his eyes from one year to another.

The next thing now claimed is subsidies for shipbuilding. That is, the laws make shipbuilding as a legitimate industry impossible, and now it is proposed to tax the people directly and in large sums to overcome the obstacles to shipbuilding which the laws create. In other words, the laws have destroyed a great industry, and the people are now to be made to pay for reviving it, while the obstructive laws remain in force. This is only multiplying impositions upon the producer. Some time or other the people will conclude that it is better to adopt the heresy of buying in the cheapest market than to submit to being robbed for all time of half their earnings.

POSTAL SAVINGS BANKS.

It is believed that congress long ago would have established postoffice savings banks but for the opposition of a powerful interest which is again making itself felt. The postmaster general has earnestly recommended such action; but the difficulty which besets the representatives is their dependence on the votes of the mill owners and manufacturers in their respective districts. These latter encourage local banks in the several agricultural and manufacturing towns, in order that themselves, who are either directors or friends of directors, may have on hand a fund on which they can lay their hands at pleasure, to meet the claims of their work people or others with whom they may have transactions. A government bank would not so readily accommodate them, for the postmaster would regard the deposits as a sacred trust, offering at the same time a positive and unalienable security to the depositors. Now, to get rid of the difficulty and present a fair compromise to the necessitous "bosses," or the directors, let us mention that in England, it has been found that the local savings banks have traveled on the same path nearly side by side with the postal banks. It is a rebuke to the just pride of Uncle Sam that cousin Bull should be allowed to set him a wholesome example in the public welfare which he permits private interest to prevent his following. Let him, therefore, imitate his trans-Atlantic kinsman, and start the postoffice banks, giving a low rate of interest in exchange for his guarantee of security—while the local banks may continue paying a higher rate of interest to satisfy the needs or cupidity of their customers. It was in 1861 that John Bull commenced the plan so urgently recommended to the adoption of congress. In 1870 the government postoffice banks were 4032 in number, with 1,183,000 depositors on their books. In 1880 there were nearly double the number of banks, and 2,000,000 depositors—whose deposits amounted to 32,000,000 sterling. Yet the old local banks survive to the number of 450, with a million and a half of depositors and a capital of 44,000,000 of sterling money. Congress should not allow this session to pass without a decided manifestation of its interest in the national welfare away from all private considerations. The report of Postmaster General James supplies the text for a bill.

SENSE VS. SENTIMENTALISM.

The English mind is slow but sure. Carlyle, in his grim way, was wont to assert that any special proposition sent an Englishman to his bed three days to meditate. But when he kicked the bed clothes off he had come to a sage conclusion and determination. English lawyers are watching the Guiteau trial closely.

The English law as to insanity is like ours, but the Scotch courts differ in not permitting any testimony as to hereditary insanity, the defense being limited in their evidence to the prisoner's own actions. English history has a case which applies somewhat curiously to that of Guiteau. At the trial of Oxford for shooting at Queen Victoria, Lord Denman said: "But, although he labored under a delusion, if he fired the loaded pistol at the Queen knowing the result which would follow his conduct, and although forced by his morbid desire for notoriety to the act, he would be responsible for his conduct and liable to criminal punishment."

England has given us parliamentary customs and laws. About all the solid sense there is in our law comes from that source. Comments of the English journals on the manner in which the Guiteau trial is conducted show the habitual poise of English common sense and customary freedom from the palpitations of sentimentalism.

The Vicksburg *Herald* exclaims that the "Yankees" are again "invading" the south. But this time it jubilates over the fact. It says: "About twenty years ago they came with fire and sword, but now they come to invest their money in factories, railroads, plantations and banks." It is a cheerful thing to hear the friendly and welcoming remarks of a representative southern journal. It says the Yankees are "whooping up things all along the line, and propose to fight it out until you can't tell the difference between a northern and a southern citizen. They are marrying southern girls," etc. The *Herald* asserts that the "Yanks have captured Atlanta, Richmond, Charleston and New Orleans, and there is a report that a raid will soon be made on Vicksburg." It is the tone in which these facts are stated, rather than the facts themselves, which indicate the extent to which the war line is being abolished. The process may be slow, but it seems to be sure.

The foreign-born population in the southern states is very small compared with that of the northern. In North Carolina persons of foreign birth are only about one-fourth of one per cent. of the populations in Georgia they are two-thirds of one per cent., and in Alabama, Mississippi and South Carolina three-fourths of one per cent. In Minnesota the proportion of foreign born to the whole population is 52 per cent., in California 51 per cent., in Wisconsin 45 per cent., in New York 31 per cent., and so on. Even in Massachusetts 33 per cent. of the population is of foreign birth. The aggregate of foreign-born in the northern states is 5,854,000, while in the southern states it is only 658,000; that is, 1011 foreigners out of 10,000, or a little more than one out of ten have up to the present time settled in the south.

The probability for the next presidential election is that the republicans will take extreme ground for a protective tariff, that the democrats will equivocate and dodge, and that the republicans will win. Yet if the democratic party would come out frankly and strongly for modification of the tariff and repeal of the navigation laws, it might win. But it will not. The protectionists muzzle it.

The Guiteau trial is suspended till one of the jurors shall have buried his wife. It looks now as if the trial might drag along till a majority of the jurors would succumb to time, till Judge Cox would become superannuated, and till marshal, district attorney and bailiffs would be ready to join him on the retired list. The law's delay may yet enable the assassin to die a natural death.

During the past five years a sustained, energetic and on the whole successful effort has been made to suppress the illicit manufacture of spirits and tobacco, particularly in the south. But it has been a difficult and perilous task. In enforcing the law 28 officers of the revenue service have been killed and 64 wounded.

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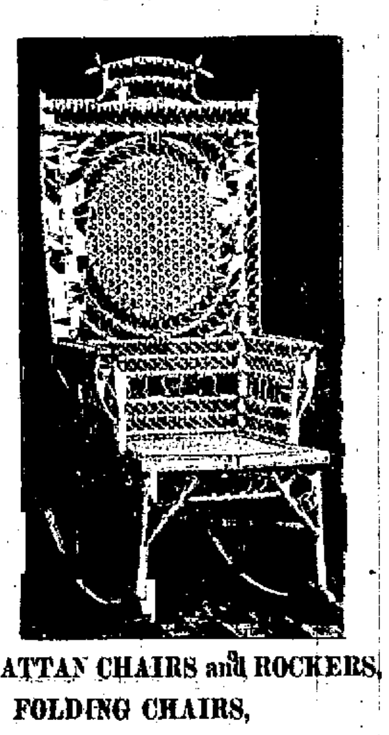

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FOR RENT.
A LARGE, WELL LIGHTED, AIRY FRONT room, centrally located; suitable for office. Inquire J. O'CONNOR, corner Front and Washington. d19d7

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A COTTAGE HOUSE; SIX ROOMS. INQUIRE of J. EPPINGER & CO., 25 First St. d3dtf

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COTTAGE, NO. 461 SIXTH STREET, BETWEEN Jackson and Lincoln. F. PATTERSON, northeast corner First and Stark. d3tf

FOR RENT—MRS. SEALS BEING ABOUT TO leave the country, would rent the house 208 Main street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, and sell or rent the furniture connected therewith. She will also sell at private sale some of her furniture. dec2tf

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BY THE DAY, WEEK OR MONTH, NICELY furnished rooms in the Sherlock House, corner Second and Oak. Night keys furnished to members when desired. may3tf

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THE BEST LODGING HOUSE IN THE CITY, on account of departure; centrally located, elegantly furnished, and doing a good business. Price reasonable; terms easy, half cash, and time allowed on balance. Address A. L., Oregonian office. d15d12t

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I HAVE A 30-ACRE TRACT TWO MILES EAST, a 40-acre tract two miles north, a 40-acre tract three miles southeast, 180-acre tract two and one-half miles south, 15 or 20 10-acre tracts three miles southwest, and 10 or 50 5-acre tracts within three miles of Portland, all of which are suitable for suburban homes and which I will sell on easy terms. Now is the time for a poor man to secure a home before the Muldoons have gobbled up the balance of Portland's suburbs. For particulars call on VAN B. DELASHMUTT. d8

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A VERY DESIRABLE CORNER LOT, SUITAble for a residence; location central. Also a splendid Residence Lot on Third street. Also a few five and ten-acre tracts of land near the city. Terms, 25 per cent. down, balance in installments. For particulars see VAN B. DELASHMUTT. d7d1m

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ATTORNEY-AT-LAW AND NOTARY PUBLIC.
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W. H. ADAMS, Notary Public. D. W. WELTY.
ADAMS & WELTY,
Attorneys and Counselors-at-Law.
Office, No. 6, Dekum's Building, Portland, Or. d5d1m

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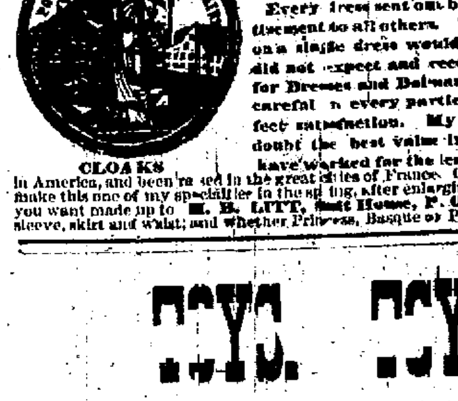

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Mechanical Toys, Wax Dolls, Rubber Toys, French Dolls, Dolls' Cradles, Christmas Tree Ornaments, Music Boxes, Beads, Wax Candles and Holders, Boxing Gloves, Masks, Games, Dolls, Baby Carriages, Boys' Wagons, Skates, Sleighs, Rocking Horses, Bicycles, Velocipedes.
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Every dress sent out by me is an advertisement to all others. The actual profit on a single dress would not pay me, if I did not expect and receive other orders for Dresses and Dolmans. Hence I am careful in every particular to give perfect satisfaction. My $15 Dress is no doubt the best value in the world, as I have worked for the leading Suit Houses

CLOAKS SUITS.

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READ! READ! READ!

GREATEST
SACRIFICE SALE
EVER KNOWN.

THE ARRIVAL OF 162 CASES OF ASSORTED

TOYS. TOYS

AND OTHER

HOLIDAY GOODS

Too late for our jobbing trade, impels us this day to

COMMENCE OUR

Great Sacrifice Sale.

By that we mean sell rather than hold them at big profits, usually sought and obtained on Holiday goods, we will, commencing

TO-DAY,

SELL THEM AT LESS THAN

MANUFACTURERS' COST.

WE HAVE MARKED THEM OUT IN PLAIN FIGURES

And such low prices have never before been seen in Oregon or on the entire Pacific coast.

The following comprises only a few of the very many articles now marked in PLAIN FIGURES at our Great Sacrifice Sale:

Fine Wax Doll, with Hair, 2 ft 4 in. long,	$1 00...	regular price,	$3 50
Fine Wax Doll, with Hair, 2 ft 2 in. long,	80...	" "	2 25
Fine Wax Doll, with Hair, 1 ft 5 in. long,	45...	" "	1 00
Fine Wax Doll, Dressed, 1 ft 5 in. long,	50...	" "	1 25
200 dozen Assorted Wax Dolls..............	25...	" "	50
60 dozen Indestructible Dolls, kid arms, shoes and stockings......	25c...	regular price	50c
150 Fine China Dolls, muslin body..............	10c...	" "	25c
Our One Dollar Tool Chest for..............			26c
For 60c you can buy our $2 50 Tea Set.			
200 doz Fine China Painted Motto Cups and Saucers,	25c...	reg. p,	$1 00
350 doz. Elegant Decorated Moustache Cups..............	35c...	"	1 00
26 doz. Roller Skates..............	$1 00...	"	2 50
100 Ice Skates..............	90...	"	150
Holcomb's Poisonless Paint Boxes..............	1 00...	"	3 00
160 assorted Mechanical Toys..............	2 00...	"	3 50
Hills A B C Blocks..............	15...	"	50
Scroll Saws, complete..............	25...	"	1 00
Boy's Printing Press..............	1 00...	"	2 00
Fine Work Boxes filled with Tools..............	35...	"	1 00

Come and convince yourself that you can buy a very nice Holiday Present in our establishment for less money than elsewhere. In

ROGERS' SILVER-PLATED WARE

We again LEAD, and have them MARKED OUT IN PLAIN FIGURES.

All our goods are NEW, and direct from the manufacturer.

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FIRST, BET. STARK AND OAK STS.

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...GILMAN.

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No. 48 First St., bet. Pine and Ash

...CTION SALES OF REAL ESTATE, ...ure, General Merchandise, Horses, C... ...tc.

...ULAR SALE DAYS—Tuesdays and ...o'clock A. M.

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OF

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MERCHANDISE,

AND

HOLIDAY GOOD...

...will dispose of, by auction, at our s...

TUESDAY, DEC. 20th,

At 10 o'clock A. M.,

Household Furniture of all kinds

ALSO

...assorted Invoice of PLATED...

ALSO

...ets, Horse Blankets, Comforters, Goods, Mirrors and Pictures.

GILMAN & CO., Auc...

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AT THE

OLD AUCTION HOUSE,

...S. E. corner First and Pine Sts.

...ell at auction all kinds of General M... Furniture, Real Estate, Horses, Carr... ...ony Furniture, Entire Stocks of Merc... will sell for parties owning them. ...ALES—Day time and Evening, as... s26tf

FURNITURE, CARPETS,

THE OREGON ...

...Have Just Received, ...rect from the Facto... the Largest Stock of

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Ever brought to this ...ket, consisting of ...tian, Ingrain, Extra S... Three-Ply, Tapestry, ... Brussels, Moquette ... Axminster, which ... offer at very low p...

The Company also ... an immense stock of

Furniture

of their own make, ... they are able to guar... as being superior ... and workmanship to ... imported from Cali... or the Eastern St... ...rerooms, cor. First a... streets.

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J. M. BIRMINGH...

Is now established in

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FURNITURE,

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IN ENDLESS VARIETY

LATEST NOVEL...

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...ve purchased the stock of CL... ...RNISHING GOODS, etc., in the ... ...rly occupied by Isaac Barman ... ...orrison streets, and will offer ... ...EMARKABLY LOW PRICES ... ...d chance to buy Clothing, etc. ... ...ularly during the Holiday Seas...

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TO CITY SUBSCRIBERS.	
...per week, delivered, Sunday excepted...	25
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WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

SPECIAL TO THE OREGONIAN.

...Dec. 19—midnight—Indications for ...Pacific coast regions, fair weather.

CITY.

...FIRE.—About a quarter of 8 o'clock yesterday evening fire broke out in L. Blumenthal's ... ...nishing goods store on Front street, between ... and Washington. It was first discovered by ... in the Standard composing room, which is ... above the store. After sending a messenger ... engine house, the foreman and Mr. Jerry ... broke in the back door with an ax and ... of empty wood-boxes ablaze. Three's ... hose through an adjoining saloon to un... to get at the fire, as the iron doors in ... securely fastened, and in a few minutes ... were extinguished. An alarm was turned ... and was responded to, but there was ... the department. There was a fire in the ... six feet from the burning boxes, and it ... spark from the stove started the blaze. ... is not probably more than $500, mostly ... The stock was insured for $3000 in ... Mr. Blumenthal had closed the ... minutes before the fire was discov...

...INDUSTRIAL ACQUISITION.—On the first ... Mr. C. A. Leinenweber, the well known ... merchant of Astoria, will remove his ... shoe manufactory—the most extensive en... of its kind in the state—to this city. He ... the second story of Smith's block on ... near Washington, above J. B. Congle & ... rooms recently vacated by Murphy, Grant ... Mr. Leinenweber decided on this step for ... that to do the business it was necessary ... goods represented in Portland, the center ... and by moving his factory here he could ... supervision over both the manufac... selling. The establishment will employ ... men, and will be no small acquisition to ... commerce. The tannery will be con... Astoria.

...The suffering Russian emigrants in ... who have been so unfortunate with ... fever in their midst, are now in a better ... By prompt action of the authorities of ... they have been supplied with proper ... and bedding, and the best medical aid ... Their rooms in the old Oriental hotel on ... been fitted with necessary furniture, ... been furnished by the city and charit... The children who were bedridden ... convalescent, and to all appearances will ... be around. Every precaution was ... prevent the spread of the malady, and with ... effect that there are no cases besides those ... building. With the present outlook it ... a short time until the dreadful disease is ...

...—"The asylum is on fire!" exclaimed ... on the streets about 11 o'clock last night, ... blaze that lighted up the eastern ... seen behind the clump of firs that hide ... hospital from view. Considerable ex... created for a while, but the flames ... quickly set at rest all fears. An Oregonian ... hurried across the river, only to ... barn of Capt. A. Raabe, one hundred ... east of the asylum, was burning. To... its contents,—two wagons, a reaper, ... tons of hay, and small farm imple... consumed. The loss is about $2000. ... away from home, it could not be ... or not the property was insured. ... probably of incendiary origin.

...AGED MINISTER.—Rev. Alfred Powell, ... an acceptable minister in the ... church, died at his residence in Albany ... in the seventy-second year of his ... was occasioned by running a small ... palm of his right hand on Monday ... a piece of fir wood. He drew ... and felt no particular inconvenience ... After that erysipelas set in and the ... arm swelled and pained violently, ... Mr. Powell leaves a wife and ... daughters to mourn his loss. He was ... Ohio, and moved from Illinois to Ore... and settled in Linn county, where he has ... He was very widely and favora... all over the north west coast.

...PRISON.—T. W. Andrews, convicted of ... yesterday sentenced by Judge Scott to ... confinement in state's prison. When ... formally to state why sentence should ... against him, Andrews said that ... years old, and that if he had been ... he could have explained away ... testimony. Why his lawyers did ... him to do this is not known, but they ... it best for him not to take the ... delivered a very short but very ... on the crime of arson, that Andrews ... heard before he applied the torch to ...

...BURNED.—A cottage owned by A. J. ... Watson's addition, opposite the new ma... was burned to the ground about 6:30 ... evening. By the efforts of neighbors all ... and other household effects were ... was sounded, at the department ... reached the fire in time to do any ... was worth probably $800, and ... J. Anderson, an employe in the ma...

...—Sunday night Valentine Thurm, a ... who resides in East Portland, in re... fell over a wooden saw-horse ... the sidewalk and broke his left arm. ... bones below the elbow were frac... Dr. Raffety, who was ... the fracture and the patient is now ... Three years ago Mr. Thurm ... accident, breaking his arm in the ...

...—Yesterday in the state circuit court, ... obtained against Isaac Barman by ... creditors: L. P. W. Quimby $2000; ... $3; J. Wilson, $2500; L. & D. Bar... Hodge, Davis & Co., $348; Browns... Mills, $664.

...—The ladies of Trinity church will ... at 10 o'clock in the chapel, Fifth ... the purpose of decorating for the Christ...

...OUT REGARDLESS OF COST! ... elegant stock of Photographic Albums ...

SIMON HARRIS',
49 First Street.

...Books in sets at reduced rates at J. K. ... 73 First street.

...QUALITY DIAMONDS AT WHOLESALE RATES.

...genuine AMERICAN WATCHES, $9. ... GOLD JEWELRY, of the latest designs, ... than any establishment on the coast, ... SPOONS and FORKS, $2 50 per set. ... stock at rates in proportion.

HENRICHSEN & GREENBERG,
149 First Street.

...AT COST DURING HOLIDAYS. ... goods, Mrs. A. E. West, Washington ... during holidays the same at cost. ... will find this an excellent chance for bar... Mrs. West has the sole agency for the Bazar ... which are now quite popular. The assort... good and all tastes can be satisfied

THE ONLY PLACE ... where the "Pure Rock Pebble Specks" ... at W. Friedlander, 65 First street. Specks ... all ages and all infirmities of the eye kept ... Ask for the Rock Pebble Specks

...OLDEST HOUSE IN OREGON. ... Gold Jewelry, Solid Gold Jewelry, ... finest quality Diamonds, Parisian Diamonds, ... Specialties, etc., New York Jewelry Co., ... Palace) 163 First street.

...Christmas Goods go to Child's Drug Store.

...second hand Piano, good as new, at 53 Third ... Must be sold at once.

...stock of art goods now opening at Shanahan's, ... street. Do not fail to inspect.

...Christmas trees, trimming, candles, nuts, glass ... Postoffice Candy Story, opp. postoffice.

...good meal, well cooked, politely served, tidy ... surroundings. Barrow's restaurant, 59 Second st.

...Morrison St, is the place to buy your toys, sta... Christmas books, albums, candies, etc., at ... very lowest prices.

...J. B. PILKINGTON—Surgeon, Oculist and Au... Sanitarium, McAdam road. Office, cor. First ... Washington streets.

Every one is puzzled how Uncle Myers is able to ... that Ladies' fine solid gold watch for $20. War... ranted, at 181 First street

BELOW FIRST STREET PRICES.—Christmas goods ... below First street prices at Wiley B. Allen's ... and music store, on Third street.

ANNOUNCEMENT.—Mrs. Pilger wishes to announce ... that she is ready to receive her many customers, ... who have been anxiously awaiting her return, and ... the new styles just received for the holidays.

GARRISON'S SEWING MACHINE STORE, 167 Third ... street, Portland, is the best place in Oregon to get ... your sewing machines repaired and for buying all ... kinds of needles, attachments and oil.

Mme. Verdier, Third and Morrison streets, has ... in stock a great variety of imported lace goods, ... besides fancy goods—all suitable for Christmas pres... ents. Prices rule low. Braid stamping done.

THAT LOVELY DOLL in the window of the N. Y. ... Jewelry Co. will be given away, as every one pur... chasing one dollar's worth of goods is given a ... chance in it. Lots of new and pretty things for the ... holidays at their store, 45 First street.

Henry Villard has an ear for music as well as an ... eye to business, and after stepping in and seeing the ... beautiful new McCammon pianos and Whitney and ... Holmes organ, just arrived from the east at J. H. ... Robbins & Son's, 229 First street, pronounced it the ... finest display of musical instruments on this coast.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CAKES.—Those wish... ing something really good in the way of cakes for ... the holidays, should leave orders with the German ... Bakery, Washington street. They prepare fruit and ... cakes, iced and ornamented in the latest style ... New Year's cakes, Scotch bread, mince ... brown bread, fresh biscuits are specialties ... ready to please. The number is 66

THE LOCAL POUCH.

What was Tossed into It by "Oregonian" Reporters Yesterday.

Mr. Riley Cave of Hillsboro, is in the city.

To-morrow will be the shortest day of the year.

Mr. Hyman Abrahams, of Oakland, is at the Clarendon.

Mr. J. W. Kelly, editor of the Roseburg *Independent*, is in the city.

The British bark Glenlyn, from Cardiff, in ballast of 809 tons, Evans, master, arrived in port yesterday.

The British bark Annie Main, Popham, master, cleared for Queenstown with 28,029 bushels wheat yesterday.

The Seattle *Chronicle* states that the tug Tacoma would leave there for the Columbia river on the 15th or 16th inst.

The barks Peeblesshire and Rainbow cleared for Queenstown yesterday, with 59,561 centals wheat, worth $109,398.

Tim Wheelan was taken to the penitentiary yesterday afternoon by Jos. Sloan. He serves a sentence of five years.

Ah On, charged with burglary from Pitt & Pragg's junk store, on Front street, will make his plea in the circuit court to-morrow.

The Columbia, on account of fog, did not get away from her dock here until half past nine yesterday morning. She will cross out to-day.

Thos. Collins was fined ten dollars for assault and battery on a girl at Nancy Bogg's saloon. He will settle his account with the city by serving five days in jail.

The Oregon arrived in Astoria at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, and left at noon. A heavy fog is reported at Kalama and it is likely the steamer anchored for the night.

J. F. Curtis, late master mechanic for the O. R. & N. Co., has been appointed to a like position on the Northern Pacific. He is en route to Sprague to begin work on the car shops.

Sunday, Fred Pfunder and Joe Williams killed a large buck elk about a half mile west of Sampson's ferry, opposite Sauvies island. This is the first elk killed in this vicinity in many years.

The case of Harry Wheelan, Jeff Kelly and Frank Smith for assault and battery was postponed until to-day. A bench warrent was issued for the man Riley who made complaint against them.

At a stated meeting of Willamette Lodge No. 2 A. F. & A. M. last night, the following officers were elected: Eugene D. White, W. M.; W. S. Ward, S. W.; John Cran, J. W.; Chas. Hodge, treasurer; Gustaf Wilson secretary.

The bullet wound in Jack Powers' face is in a very bad condition and causes him great suffering. Should the supreme court reverse the decision of the lower court, or his sentence be commuted, he will have the ball extracted.

Ah Shing, the Chinese burglar, was arraigned in the state circuit court yesterday and found guilty. There were two charges of burglary preferred against him, for which he was sentenced to three years in the state penitentiary.

The case of the state against Neil Hart, Henry Griffin, M. F. Sheehan and Dan Frazier, for assaulting Joe Taylor shortly after the June election of 1880, which had dragged through four terms of court, was dismissed yesterday.

Yesterday afternoon Claude Stevens, a five year old son of John Stevens of East Portland, a clerk in Hodge, Davis & Co.'s, had two fingers of his right hand cut off by an elder brother who was splitting kindling wood. Dr. Raffety was called and dressed the injuries.

A fine mare belonging to Charles Schulmerick, near Hillsboro, died last Saturday. This is his second loss of the kind, her mate having died last spring. He was offered $1000 for the team less than a year ago by a prominent Portland merchant. What disease took them off is not known.

Wesley Van Schuyver, who was charged with assaulting Ed Littlefield on the railroad near Rooster Rock with a handspike, and Littlefied, who was accused of assaulting Van Schuyver with a stone, were both discharged yesterday, the grand jury having returned "not a true bill" in both cases.

About 3 o'clock yesterday morning the night watchman on the Ash street dock heard a splash in the water and some one calling for assistance. Upon arriving at the spot from where the sound proceeded he could see nothing Nothing further can be learned until the body is recovered—if anybody was drowned.

During the past few weeks of fine weather, said a resident of Washington county who was in town last night, our country presents a remarkably lively appearance. Plowing grubbing and general repairing are being pushed forward with all possible dispatch, and everything has a business-like look. Quite a number of small sawmills are under construction, which, when finished, will begin sawing lumber for fencing, and in a very few years rail fences will be a thing of the past.

REFORM SCHOOL ASSOCIATION.

Meeting Yesterday Afternoon—Election of Trustees and Officers.

A meeting of the Multnomah County Reform School Association was held at two o'clock yesterday afternoon in Ladd & Tilton's parlors. There were present Messrs. W. S. Ladd, Donald Macleay, Thos. Frazar, M. W. Fechheimer, J. K. Gill, Henry Failing, S. W. Rice, H. W. Corbett, B. Goldsmith, Chas. Hodge, Wm. Wadhams, J. P. O. Lownsdale and C. H. Meussdorffer.

W. S. Ladd was called to the chair and J. K. Gill was chosen secretary.

The following trustees were chosen:

For three years—W. S. Ladd, Henry Failing, H. W. Corbett, Wm Wadhams and B. Goldsmith.

For two years—Donald Macleay, Chas. Hodge, J. K. Gill, Thos. Frazer and Theo. Wygant.

For one year—James Steel, Dr. W. H. Watkins, J. P. O. Lowsdale, C. H. Meussdorffer and M. P. Deady.

At a subsequent meeting of trustees the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

President—W. S. Ladd.
Vice president—Henry Failing.
Secretary—J. K. Gill.
Treasurer—H. W. Corbett.

The report of the committee on by-laws was read by Judge S. W. Rice.

Messrs. Ladd, Hodge & Lownsdale were appointed a committee to prepare supplemental articles of incorporation and report upon call of the president.

THE COURTS.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—SCOTT, J.

T. H. Freeman et al vs. O. D. Buck, et al; demurrer to complaint argued and submitted.

McGuire Bros. vs. Bacon; two weeks to answer.

McGuire Bros. vs. Sherlock; same order.

Dunn vs. Langford; dismissed.

Tayler vs. Chapman; dismissed.

Deoney vs. Friese; dismissed.

Higgins vs. Hamilton; report of referee confirmed.

Grand Jury presented one indictment.

St. Paul Harvester Works Co. vs. Hawley, Dodd & Co; demurrer to complaint and motion to strike out, argued and submitted.

David Price, vs. C. E. Brobe and Jos. Niles; default, and judgment against Joseph Niles for $775.00.

State of Oregon vs. Margaret Garrigan; libel demurrer to indictment and motion to dismiss argued.

Gus. Strube vs. Jos. Buchtel, sheriff; demurrer to complaint.

Wm. Dunbar vs. J. B. Montgomery; motion for leave to amend the answer herein; argued.

COUNTY COURT—RICE, J.

PROBATE.

Estate of Michael Enright, deceased; final account approved and administrator discharged.

Estate of Geo. W. Vaughn, deceased; final account approved and administrator discharged.

Guardianship of Parks heirs; appraisers of estate appointed.

Estate of Ellen Phelan, deceased; final account approved and administrator discharged.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

J. B. Miller, jeweler, next to First National bank is closing out.

Gray & Sons, 140 Front street, have fine slippers for men, women and children.

Lewis & Dryden are getting up an authorized railroad and shipping guide. Office with A. G. Walling.

Scrap Books of every variety at J. K. Gill & Co's.

Merry Christmas for all at Child's Drug Store.

Eastern Oysters every steamer at Keith'

The DAILY OREGONIAN is for sale at Gill's.

For nice Perfumery, suitable for Christmas presents, go to Child's Drug Store.

Mocha Coffee House and Restaurant, G. Voos, manager. Now open at night. Opposite Union Block.

Sewing machines of all kinds repaired, and needles for them. J. Barbey, Yamhill, bet. First and Second.

Cornucopias 2c apiece, broken candy 20c, mixed candy 25c per pound, at Postoffice Candy Store, opposite postoffice.

MUSIC.—Wiley B. Allen, Music dealer, 151 Third street, has the largest stock of sheet music in Oregon. Orders by mail filled promptly.

TO MERCHANTS.—Lemons, limes, oranges, figs, dates, raisins, nuts, pineapples, grapes, chestnuts, wholesale and retail at S. L. Stone's.

DEALERS.—Do not buy any toys till you see Chas. Hirstel & Co's assignee's stock which has been purchased entire by Mellis Bros. & Co.

Davidson's new sky-light is the "Boss" these dark days. His customers do not fail to get good negatives and finely finished photographs.

Mrs. Dr. D. A. Owens. Office over Plummer's drug store, corner First and Main. Special attention to Women's diseases and of the Eye and Ear.

The photographic work of Abell continues to be favorably spoken of by all who see the display. Orders are duplicated in almost every instance. Call and see him.

Don't go to J. H. Robbins & Son's on First street, between Salmon and Main, because you might be tempted to buy some of these new designs in ebonized brackets, frames, music racks, vases and a hundred and one other things which tend to beautify a home so much, at a trifling cost.

RARE CHANCE.—I will sell pianos at bargains for the next sixty days. Call and secure them early, at 83 Yamhill. ALBERT BARTSCH, Direct agent for Steinway & Sons, and Kranich & Bach.

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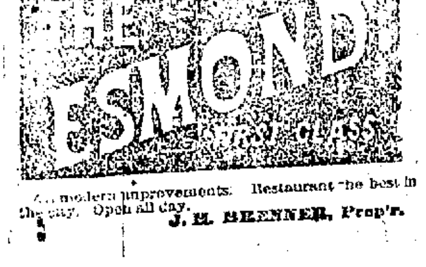

All modern improvements. Restaurant the best in the city. Open all day.

J. H. BRENNER, Prop'r.

ANOTHER CASE OF BRUTALITY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

If there is a society to protect dumb brutes from cruel and unnecessary punishment in this city, its powers ought to be brought to bear on the keeper of a saloon on First street, between Taylor and Salmon, who makes a practice of beating unmercifully two poor bears which he has chained up in the rear of his premises "trying to train" for the edification of his customers. The poor brutes are now, and have been for some time past, without an excuse for shelter from the inclemencies of our winter, and, as a consequence, spend their time in fiercely jerking their chains to keep from freezing. Animals are capable of feeling and suffering, and "man, proud man," when he don't know enough to treat them kindly, should at all events be restrained from visiting them with unnecessary abuse. HUMANITY.

PORTLAND, Dec. 19, 1881.

LODGE ELECTIONS.

Tualatin Lodge, No. 6, A. F. and A. M., of Hillsboro: R. Crandall, W. M.; A. M. Collins, S. W.; John Wethered, J. W.; C. T. Tozier, Sec'y; H. Mehrung, Treas.

Stevens' Post, G. A. R. of Seattle: George D. Hill, commander; R. Osborne, S. V. C.; A. P. Sparling, J. V. C.; A. Slorah, officer of the day; I. H. Griswold, quartermaster; H. Perkins, officer of the guard; J. M. Kollock, Post surgeon; D. L. McCowan, chaplain.

St. John's Chapter, No. 16, R. A. M., of Astoria: Jay Tuttle, M. E. H. P.; E. R. Hawes, E. K.; A. P. Anderson, E. S.; B. W. Ferguson, C. of H.; B. Van Dusen, P. S.; F. Baltes, R. A. C.; E. M. Hall, G. M. 3d V.; F. W. Ferguson, G. M. 2d V.; D. G. Ross, G. M. 1st V.; A. Van Dusen, Treas.; A. Anderson, Sec'y; L. Hartwig, guard.

A CARD.

As it seems an impression is prevalent that in the case lately tried in our state circuit court, resulting in the conviction of Mr. T. W. Andrews on an indictment for the crime of arson, Mr. T. H. Hall turned state's evidence and gave his testimony against his co-defendant, in justice to Mr. Hall I cheerfully state that Hall was discharged in said prosecution upon my motion, and not by his request or solicitation, and so far as I am advised, without his knowledge that such motion would be made, and further that his testimony upon the witness stand (to which he was called by the prosecution) exactly corresponded with what he has always claimed the facts to be. J. F. CAPLES, District Attorney.

Portland, Dec. 19, 1881.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS.

D. W. Metzger and wife to A. Cornutt, 2½ acres in Cutting donation claim, sec 10, T 1 S, R 3 E, Dec. 7—$25.

Ben Holladay and wife to Joseph Holladay, blocks lettered L, M, N, I, J, K, and fractional blocks lettered B, C, D, G, L and F, and lots 6, 7 and 8 in block 23, Couch's addition, Oct. 19, 1876—No consideration.

Mary ... Watkins and husband, to James Johns, lots 3 and 4, block 10, town of St Johns, Dec. 12—$300.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

CLARENDON HOTEL.

Robt McClelland, Dallas
E Boyd, do
E Soberg, W T
Capt H Emmett, Algoa Bay
Lt J S Mallory, U S A
J Shuby, S F
Judge McArthur Dalles
S L Halem, Grand Ronde
H O Owen, Eugene
Capt F D Baldwin, U S A
J Williams, Astoria
Gen Sprague, Tacoma
Ben Snipes, Dalles

J Frazier, Dalles
E D Brooks, W T
G W Yeager & w, Yamhill
F M Merrill, O & C R R
J F Mayne, S F
Dr J W McAfee, Salem
A S Watt & w, Forest Gr
J Luffmann, Grand Ronde
Mrs Andrews, Dilley
Dr O B Thatcher, S F
T H Sheppard, Ainsworth
E P Beaton, Dalles

OCCIDENTAL HOTEL.

A Bell, city
L Brischol, city
W H Lewis, Aumsville
J Watson, Vancouver
G N Frewcett, Corvallis
J Corbin, St Helens
S B Finegan, Peoria
J M Kelty, Lafayette
F Ellis, do
John Haney, do
H Klopke, St Helens
F E Blackwood, city
Mrs Andrews, Cascades
Miss A Lovelace, Damascus
J W Gray, Salem

W Davis, S F
W Burton, N Yamhill
N S Hawks, Salem
W D Morris, Hubbard
W E Ledgerwood, Corvallis
J S Campbell, Astoria
Dan McDonald, Peoria
W M Townsend, Lafayette
Chas Williams, Illinois
J J Beard, Tangent
Miss L Lemley, Dalles
A Hoover, Oregon City
R Bird, city
G A Smith, Salem

THE ESMOND.

F E Eltonhead, W T
F G Ellinger, Corvallis
M Goodrich
Jos Moore, Astoria
L F A organ, Salem
Miss Nellie Winston, Oakland
E Semple & w, St Helens
W S Bricker, Bellston
Wm Brown, Corvallis
W S Nicholson, Yaquina B
A J Reiss, Independence
J A Hughes, Dalles
J Lancaster & w,
Mrs S Coulter, Seattle
F W Fenton, Dalles
W W Pringle, Ohio
R W Price & w, U S A

C L Heyman, W T
H E Jacobs, Salem
W Harris
John D Sawyer, Salem
Geo Dannals, do
Miss Jenny Clark, Oakland
Alex Patterson, Ballston
Jas Farnham, Corvallis
Wm Brown, Corvallis
S W Smith, Independence
Adolf Woolf, do
J Garnizer
Mrs A O Eggleston, Tacoma
Henry Steeves, Dalles
J H Houghton, Tacoma
J S Bradley, Idaho
Mrs Quinn, Quinn's L'dg

ST. CHARLES.

W L Boise, Salem
Geo Lawton, do
Jas Dobbins, Quinn's Ldg
J W Cochrane, Vancouver
W A Wells, Corvallis
F J Walkely, Eagle Creek
C E Wright, Arizona
J H Scriber, Salem
R Ed munson, Eugene
Mrs H Keeney & ch, S F
W G Hazard, Vancouver
J C Orchard, Chehalis
M F Parker & w, Westport
C H Pio, Hillsboro
James Muckle St Helens
W F Lemon, Sheridan
S T Stine, W W
G W Roberts, Vancouver
B Fagan, E Portland

W D Smith, Oregon City
P A Moses, Tangent
G W Prosser, w & sister, Oswego
H D Morgan & dau, Hillsb
J J Swiss, Dayton, Or
Miss Nettie Thorp, S F
David Simpson, Salem
R H Tyson, Middleton
F A Glasson, Halsey
D L Hamfan, Astoria
David West, Westport
Riley Cave, Hillsboro
Frank Davis, Winlock
Jas Walsh, Rays Landing
J D McAllister, New Tac
J H Stinger, Camp Harney
Mrs J Noyer, Dalles
C A Fuhr, La Center

DIAMONDS $25,000!

Received, twenty-five thousand dollars' worth of Diamonds, in stones from $1.50 up to $1,000, on exhibition and for sale at J. VAN BEURDEN'S, the Diamond Broker.

TO PURCHASERS OF DIAMONDS, WATCHES, JEWELRY, ETC.

It having come to our notice that we have been illegitimately undersold of late, we beg to inform our patrons and the public generally, that hereafter we will disregard the price that goods in our line are usually sold at, and sell our goods at such rates that will defy competition. We will positively sell at wholesale rates.

HENRICHSEN & GREENBERG,
PORTLAND, Dec. 17. 149 First street.

The new Chatterbox for 1881, price $1 25, at J. K. Gill & Co's.

OREGON TO MASSACHUSETTS.

Some time ago, Messrs Hodge, Davis & Co., of this city, read in a Massachusetts paper that Hon. Charles R. Ladd, auditor of that state, was afflicted with an incurable kidney disease, and had been obliged to give up work and return to his home. They immediately sent him a box of their celebrated Oregon Kidney Tea, and from time to time sent him other boxes. A few days ago they received from him the following letter:

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS,
Auditor's Dep't, Boston, Nov. 11, 1881.

Messrs. Hodge Davis & Co: DEAR SIRS—I have no hesitation in saying that I have been much benefited by the use of the Oregon Kidney Tea as a remedy for a kidney difficulty which has troubled me for six or eight years. I can heartily recommend it to those who are similarly afflicted, as a safe and agreeable remedy. I shall test its virtues further, for I have great faith in it as a specific for many diseases of the kidneys. Respectfully yours,

CHAS. R. LADD.

The original of this letter can be seen by calling on Messrs. Hodge Davis & Co., Portland, Oregon, and the Oregon Kidney Tea can be bought of any druggist or dealer, in Oregon or Washington. Price $1 per box.

ACKNOWLEDGED

To be the best Pianos—Decker & Son. H. Sinsheimer, 129 First street, sole agent for the northwest coast; also for other pianos; also Mason & Hamlin Organs, which have the best reputation.

TO DEALERS IN FANCY GOODS.

Mellis Bros & Co. have purchased Chas. Hirstel & Co's assignee's stock of toys, dolls etc., etc., which they are offering to the trade at less than first cost of importation.

HAIR CUTTING.

Three of the finest workmen in the state are at Ferguson's hair cutting headquarters, 30 Stark street

HOLIDAY ATTRACTIONS.

GENTS' DRESSING GOWNS,

ENTIRELY NEW STYLE.

SMOKING JACKETS,

Silk Handkerchiefs and Neckwear,

Fancy White and Dress Shirts, etc.

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We are selling MEN'S and BOYS' SUITS, OVERCOATS and HATS at PRICES THAT DEFY COMPETITION. Our stock, purchased East for cash, will be SLAUGHTERED until Jan. 1st.

NOW IS THE TIME FOR

GREAT BARGAINS!

DON'T FAIL TO CALL,

J. KOHN'S

CLOTHING PALACE

Cor. First & Morrison.

THE NORTHWEST.

Western Oregon.

The Eugene City fire fund is at present $1092 50.

The investigation of the charges preferred by the Duniway Publishing Co. against Postmaster Hodgin of Dallas will be held by Postal Agent Simpson at that place on Tuesday, January 3d.

A son of Philip Conkle, who lives about 8 miles south of Eugene, aged about 12 years, was out hunting with a younger brother on the 5th inst., and while standing on a log his foot slipped, causing the discharge of his gun. The charge entered his body just below the heart, ranging upward and causing death instantly.

A. M. Smith has had a band of thirty Chinamen grubbing on his farm near Buena Vista, for the last month, and the great change that the place has undergone in that time makes it one of the most valuable places in that section of the county. Mr. Smith has experimented until he is satisfied that there is money in clearing land.

Coal prospectors lately arrived at Astoria from Nehalem report a good showing in the country bounded by the Humbug on the east and the two Nehalems on the west and south. A party of miners are tunneling in on a good vein between the south Nehalem and the Miami. The coal near Knappa, sixteen miles above Astoria, is being prospected. Large pieces of coal are found on a branch of Gray's river, promising well as prospecting progresses.

Southern Oregon.

Wood sells for $5 per cord in Roseburg.

It costs $616 per year to keep Roseburg's 24 street lamps trimmed and burning.

J. I. Lodge of Oakland, Douglas county, sold his wheat last week, consisting of about 10,000 bushels; the price paid was 72½ cents per bushel.

W. T. Wright, treasurer of Douglas county, has paid to the state treasurer all the taxes due from that county, being something above $18,000.

Mrs. Isaac Jones, a resident of Douglas county since 1853, died at her home in Roseburg December 12th, aged 61 years. She leaves a husband and nine children.

Washington Territory.

Miss Jane Hutcheson died at the home of her brother at Dayton on the 10th inst., aged 40 years.

Hon. M. R. Lilley, a resident of Washington territory since 1853, died at his home in Olympia on the 12th inst., aged 45 years.

Mr. West, of the firm of Dobson & West, Chehalis, whose daughter, an amiable young lady of 17 years, was drowned in the Chehalis on the 7th instant, suffered further affliction on the 12th in the loss of a son from brain fever. Mrs. Dobson and infant were drowned at the same time that Miss West lost her life, so both members of the firm sorrow from a double affliction.

Isaac H. Whealdon, writing from Naselle, Pacific county, states that there is in that region some excellent agricultural lands belonging to government, upon which could readily be made good homes by industrious settlers in a few years. The timber lands in the same locality are unsurpassed. The Naselle is a small stream that empties into Shoalwater bay about nine miles from its head. It has a channel for sea-going vessels for three miles, and a tide navigation for river steamers for 10 or 12 miles farther up. A good wagon road already completed connects the settlement with Knappton. The distance between the two places is about 7½ miles.

A sensible thing for a Christmas present is a "Webster" or a "Worcester" Unabridged Dictionary. J. K. Gill & Co.

The People's Transfer Co., 5 Washington st., check baggage on all outgoing steamers at private residences. Orders left at the office promptly attended to.

Why spend money for trash for Christmas when, by investing $20 at Uncle Myers', you can attain a diamond ring which can remain as an heirloom in the family, 181 First street.

Ting-a-ling-a-ling.
"Mr. Central, connect me with S. L. Stone."
"All right; here he is."
"Say Mr. Stone, send my girl, you know, a box of those Philadelphia and San Francisco candies."

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Medallions, Necklaces,
Scarf Pins, Shawl Pins,
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Field Glasses, Wedding Rings.

The standard reputation which I have gained by square dealing for the last 14 years, and the satisfaction given to my customers, I intend to maintain in the future. My motto has always been, and will be, small profit and quick sales.

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HEAVY FIRE AT HARRISBURG.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.

HARRISBURG, Dec. 19.—At 2 o'clock yesterday morning fire broke out in a frame range and before it could be checked destroyed several buildings. Following is the list of losses and insurance. B. R. Holt, livery stable, $4500, insured for $2350; O. P. Tompkins, tin store, loss $3000, insured for $1300; Zed Rosendorf, grocery store, $2500, fully insured; R. A. Rampy, drug store, loss $2500, fully insured; Louis Brown, billiard saloon, $2500, insured for $2000; M. Fuller, meat market, loss $1500, no insurance; W. H. Mendenhall, $200, no insurance; R. L. Willoughby, $300, no insurance; M. Bybee, $500, no insurance; Hiram Smith $1200, partially insured; A. Wachenheimer, $400, insured; W. H. McCully, $200, no insurance; Henry McCartney, $500, insured; Mrs. A. E. Farrier, $400, not insured; Bramwell & Hay, $300, insured; I. O. O. F., $200, insured; F. Q. Butler, $200, insured; J. F. Hendrix, $500, insured; A. F. & A. M., $100, insured; ... W. Grimes, $100, no insurance. Total loss $20,000; insurance on property damaged or destroyed $12,470. The fire was probably the work of an incendiary.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

Signal Service United States army. Division of telegrams and reports for the benefit of commerce and agriculture. Report for the last 24 hours. The following observations are taken at the same moment of time at all the stations named.

PORTLAND, Dec. 19, 7:57 P. M.

Place of observation.	Height of Barom	Change last 8 Hours.	Ther	Wind Direction	Rain fall inches	State of weath.
Portland...	30.23	—07	42	S	.00	Clear
Olympia...	30.19	—14	40	NW	.00	Clear
Roseburg...	30.28	—07	39	Calm	.00	Clear
Red Bluff...	30.34	—02	43	Calm	.00	Clear
Sacramento	30.30	—03	41	N	.00	Foggy
Umatilla...	30.60	00	16	SE	.00	Fair

River 4 feet 9 inches above low water mark; risen 4 inches.

Maximum temperature, 51 5 degrees; minimum temperature, 42.2 degrees.

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Soothes the irritated scalp.
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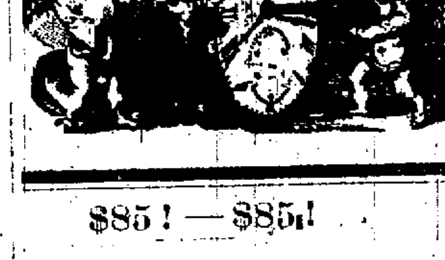

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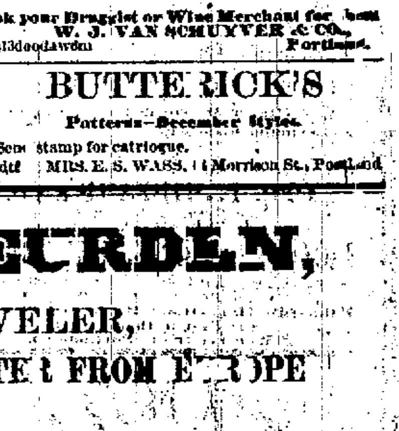

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The Daily Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING, DEC 20, 1881.

CRIMINAL NOTES.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Deeds of Desperadoes.

DENVER, Dec. 19.—*Republican's* Las Vegas: Thos. J. Kirby was shot and mortally wounded by Leon Smith, a desperado, at Kingman, yesterday.

Republican's Socorro, N. M., special: Last week Jim Greathouse, Jim Filley, a man named Forrest and another rustler stole forty head of cattle from a herd belonging to Joe Fowler, took them to Georgetown, Grant county, and sold them Fowler with Jim Ike started after the thieves and meeting them on their return turned round and accompanied them some distance, when Greathouse leveled a gun at Fowler, but the latter was too quick and fired, killing Greathouse. The other desperadoes were also killed. Greathouse is a well known hard character, and was a companion of Billy the Kid.

News from the Cowboys.

CALDWELL, Ks., Dec. 19.—A freighter named Edward Harmon, in to-day, says the desperadoes who did the shooting here Saturday came to where his father and another freighter were camped and pulling their guns made the freighters give up their horses. The ruffians helped themselves to provisions and blankets and then rode off. Young Harmon says there were five in the party, two bareheaded and two slightly wounded. It was supposed only four of the ruffians got away, but it seems there were five. Their names were Jim Talbot, J. M. Martin, Mug Hill, Bob Munnony and Bob Bigtree. A party of citizens are still out after them. Notice has been sent to all available points in the territory. A reward of $1000 is offered for their capture, dead or alive, and it seems almost impossible for them to get away. They will certainly be killed or captured unless they receive assistance from cattle camps in the territory. The inquest of Meagher closed to-day and the coroner's jury are still out. The inquest on George Speer began this afternoon and will last the greater portion of to-morrow. A committee of safety has been organized it is said. If such be the case there is no evidence of it on the surface.

A Denial of the Train Robbery.

Rumors that a gang of men attempted to rob the west bound passenger train on the Hannibal & St. Joseph railroad last night, between Utica and Chillicothe, are unfounded. Two men boarded the train at Chillicothe, partly intoxicated and when the conductor asked for their fare it was refused and a row ensued. The two men were put off the train by train hands and afterwards arrested by the marshal. This morning they were fined $35 for breaking the windows of the depot at Utica, near which point they were put off the cars.

A Chapter of Murders.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—A special from Brownsville, Texas, says Charles Lee Barrone was shot through the heart by unknown parties near Laredo, recently.

Nicholas Paez, recently captured near Currava, was hung to a grape vine.

In a gambling difficulty at Matamoras between Severiano Anecoouda and Felipe Gonzales, the latter killed the former. The father of Anecoouda killed Gonzales.

A Mexican has been found murdered on the road near Rio Grand city, the seventh murder in this locality in six weeks.

Joe. B. Lindsay of Indian Territory has been found murdered and robbed twenty miles from here.

Marcus Bravo, owner of a wagon train, was murdered in a field where he was taking care of his mules, a few days ago.

Policeman Killed by Another.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Policeman Thomas J. Norton was fatally wounded to-night while patrolling. It was said he had been shot by Policeman Bernard Fitzpatrick. The trouble, as far as ascertained, arose from Officer Norton stopping at the door of a beer saloon, where Fitzpatrick, who was in citizen's dress, in company with a dissolute woman, was raising a disturbance. Fitzpatrick told Officer Norton he was a policeman, and the latter demanded that he should prove it by showing his shield. This he refused to do, and was then threatened with arrest, but pulled a revolver and inflicted a fatal wound on Norton. At 1 o'clock he had not been arrested, though officers were in search of him.

Got off too Easily.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 19.—Two men boarded the Hannibal & St. Joe train at Chillicothe last night, and when near Utica drew revolvers and demanded the passengers' money. The passengers hid their valuables under the seats and the would-be robbers got nothing. Conductor Bushnell with a train crew collared the ruffians and threw them off the train into a ditch. At Utica Bushnell sent men back to arrest the robbers. The result is not known.

Jealousy's Crime.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—H. Menzel Feltz, a confirmed invalid, this morning while in bed beat his wife's brains out with a mallet, and then hanged himself. Jealousy was the cause.

To be Hanged.

Wm. S. Uedrum, convicted of the murder of Mrs. Catherine Creve, his landlady, will be hanged the 20th of February, 1882.

Beaten to Death.

GREEN CASTLE, Ind. Dec. 19.—Benj. Lynch whose wife obtained a divorce from him here last week, drove to the homestead yesterday morning, 12 miles south of here, when he was shot and beaten to death by his two step-sons, named Young

Fatally Shot.

DENVER, Col., Dec. 18.—A *Republican's* Maysville special says: E. E. Pippin, fireman of the Columbus stamp mill at Junction City, was this afternoon fatally shot by the Buck brothers. The deed was without provocation.

Killed.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 19.—H. H. Bruno, lumber dealer, was shot and killed to-day by his brother-in-law, August Keers. Family matters was the cause.

To be Hung.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 19.—Baber and Ward, murderers, will be hanged July 15.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

A New Organization.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—The grand council of the Independent Order of Chosen Friends of the Pacific Coast has been newly organized, with the following officers: T. L. Cook, grand counsellor; H. Griffin, grand vice counsellor; C. J. Vincent, grand secretary; J. W. Sheeder, treasurer. The grand secretary and treasurer have filed their bonds respectively in the sums of $20,000 and $25,000.

Turf Notes.

The trustees of the Pacific Coast Blood Horse Association have fixed upon April 26, 27 and 29, 1882, to hold their spring meeting. The association adopted an earlier date than heretofore to enable the California colts having certain eastern engagements to meet them without the hurry which is incident to a date in May. There is also less liability to rain. The programme arranged by the association is a very attractive one, and with the number of nominations in the stakes which have already closed [illegible] number likely [illegible] the races except those which have already been closed will be governed by the schedule of weights adopted at the last annual meeting of the association which are the same as those of the American Jockey club, Saratoga Association, Coney Island Jockey Club and at Long Branch.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

Fire at Walla Walla.

WALLA WALLA, Dec. 19.—At 12:30 last night a fire broke out in Small Bros.' big livery stable on Main street, and destroyed the stable and 10 horses, a large amount of hay and grain; also burned Picard's undertaker and carpenter shop, Joss' shoe shop, Bouch's tailor shop and damaged the *Daily Union* office, Pawto & Markham's grocery and Harry Howard's saloon. Small Bros.' loss, $6000, no insurance. The buildings were owned by Robert Kennedy, no insurance; loss, $5000. Picard was insured to the amount of his loss.

Mississippi Talk about the Negro.

[From the Jackson Comet, Dem.]

The negro has been put into the constitution in folly and fanaticism. Shall he be thrust out in maturity and deliberation?—*Meridian Mercury.*

It is true that the "negro has been put into the constitution," but that he was put there in "folly and fanaticism" is a question not easily to be solved. Some of the evils that have attended the freeing of the negro might have been avoided had he been set free in a manner different from what he was. But his freedom was an event that was bound to happen and ought to have happened. Human slavery is abhorrent to both God and man. The only way in which the ballot could be taken from the negro would be a civil war, and God forbid that we should ever have another. The right to vote is annexed to his freedom, and no power has the right to destroy either. It was the folly of our fathers to introduce the African here. But he is here, and we must bear the consequences. Whether for evil or good is a matter that rests with us. The negro is ignorant and his prejudices are easily aroused, and while he is not entirely blameless, still he does not deserve to be blamed as much as that set of unprincipled white men who impose on his ignorance and appeal to his prejudice in order that he may serve their base purposes. We must educate the negro so that he may be able to appreciate the arguments set before him, and by our action toward him we must remove his prejudices. This talk about "thrusting him out of the constitution" simply tends to antagonize him to the white man, and that is not what we want.

Pertinent Inquiries.

[Chicago Tribune.]

Secretary Blaine sent a hasty note to the More-Tariff Convention in which he took the remarkable ground that our languishing trade with Brazil must be ascribed exclusively to the want of a line of rapid steamers from New York to Rio Janeiro, and the lack of the steamers to the want of a big subsidy to Roach. Now suppose Roach had his steamers well subsidized, how much railroad-steel manufactured by the steel pool, costing $63 per ton in New York, would Roach sell in Rio in competition with non-protected English steel of a better quality, laid down in Rio at $35 per ton? Will Mr. Blaine please tell? Is it not the $28 per ton of protective duty that doubles the price and prevents the sale of American steel abroad? What is the use in seeking after Brazil trade in the face of a tariff that prohibits the exportation of our manufactures?

No desire to pay the Confederate Debt.

[From the Richmond State, (dem.).]

What a credulous set of people those English confederate bondholders are who believe they can induce these southern states to pay the old confederate debt when we have found it impossible to get them to pay even their old state debts, made before the war, and for which they received some valuable consideration! Oh, no; there will be no confederate debt paid. It's not lawful in the first place; in the second place we couldn't pay it if we would, and in the third we wouldn't if we could.

George Eliot's Grave.

[From the London World.]

I visited George Eliot's grave at Highgate the other day and was struck by the many touching tokens of affection which I saw there. It was a chill and cheerless autumn afternoon, but a number of beautiful flowers were lying at the foot of the cold gray granite pillar which tells who rests beneath. There is no grave in the cemetery more frequently asked for, and persons from all parts of the world visit it.

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FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—Sterling exchange on London bankers, 60 days, $4 80@4 80½; do, documentary, $4 79.

Transfers—25

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Sterling exchange, prime bankers', long, $4 81; short, $4 85. Good commercial, from 1@1½c lower; documentary, 2@1½c lower.

Silver bullion, 1000 fine, per ounce, 112½.

U. S. Bonds—3½s, 100½; 4½s, 114½; 4s, 118¼.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Consols, 99 3-16 money; 99 7-16 account.

U. S. bonds—3½s 103½; 4½s, 117½; 4s, 120¼.

New York Stock Quotations.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Silver bars, 112½; money 6@6½ per diem; governments steady; stocks weak; Western Union, 85½; quicksilver, 13½; Pacific, 41½; Mariposa, 4; Wells Fargo, 131; N. Y. C., 135¾; Erie, 43½; Panama, 193; Union Pacific, 118; bonds, 117; Central Pacific, 92¾; bonds, 115; Sutro, 1½.

San Francisco Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—Wheat—Dead; No. 1, $1 57½@1 60; No. 2, $1 52½@1 55.

Barley—Dull; feed, $1 45@1 50; brewing, $1 55@1 57½ for light and $1 60@1 62½ for bright heavy; standard Chevalier, $1 55@1 57½; coast, $1 42½@$1 45

Oats—Strong; good and choice, $1 70@1 75; common, $1 65@1 67½; Surprise nominal.

Corn—$1 45@1 47½.

Hay—$9@15 50.

Wool—Nothing new.

Potatoes—Weak, Petalumas and Tomales, $1 20@1 30; river reds, 75@90c; early rose, $1 20@1 25. No Cuffey Coves or Humboldt here.

Chicago Wheat Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Wheat—Unsettled and excited, closing weak, 1 25 cash, 1 25¾ January.

Gold and Stock Reports.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.

Receipts—Wheat—16,000 ctls.; flour, 12,000 qr sks; oats, 900 ctls; potatoes, 8000 sks; eggs, 10,500 doz.

Wheat—Market weak and dull. Among sales this morning, 150 tons good shipping, better quality than No. 2 shipping at $1 55 alongside. Small lots good milling, $1 57½; quote choice and extra choice shipping, $1 57½@1 60.

Flour—Market weak; but sellers are not anxious; Oregon baker's extra jobbing, $4 75. Walla Walla is quotable at wholesale at $4 50@4 62½.

Barley—Market is firm with a fair inquiry. We quote the same as before.

Oats—There are more buyers than sellers; $1 66¼ bid for common feed; $1 70 asked for fair Humboldt.

Potatoes—Market easy at unchanged quotations. Supplies are larger than the demand. Garnet Chili sold to-day from wharf at $1 15.

Hides—Dry, usual selection; market unchanged.

Hops—Market quiet; quotations are unchanged; there is no selling pressure observable.

Eggs—There is a good local demand for fresh California; market very firm, 30@37½.

Butter—Market firm with a good demand. Fresh roll quotable at 37½@40c.

CHARTERED.

To Cork, U. K., private, prior to arrival, Br ship Padishah, 1317 tons, and Br. bk Ardvar, 910 tons. Spot charter—Br ship Aberystwith Castle.

CHICAGO MARKET.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.

Wheat—$1 26½@1 26¾ January.

Pork—$16 37½ January.

Lard—$10 90 January.

Ribs—$8 42½.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.

Wheat—Market unsettled; $1 32@1 38.

Flour—Dull and heavy.

BEERBOHM'S ENGLISH REPORTS.

LONDON, Dec. 19.

Floating cargoes—Inactive.

Cargoes on passage—Heavy.

Mark Lane—Quiet.

English country markets—Steady.

French country markets—Turn easier.

Farmers deliveries of wheat during the week—40,000 to 45,000 qrs.

Good cargoes No. 2 spring off coast—51s 6d.

Liverpool spot—Downward tendency.

Shipping Intelligence.

BY TELEGRAPH.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—Arrived—Saturday—Am ship Standard, Philadelphia; Br ship Padishah, Dunedin; Br bk Ardvar, Androssan; Am bk G. C. Tobey, New York.

Sunday—Str Mississippi Seattle; str City of Chester, Portland; schr R. B. Handy, Columbia river; Am ship Geo. F. Manson, Liverpool.

Sailed—Saturday—Am bk Mary S. Ames, New Bedford.

Sunday—Str Willamette, Puget Sound.

Monday—Schr Rebecca, Shoalwater bay; schr C. H. Merchant, Coos bay; Ital bk Gli Amici, Cork, f. o.; Br bk Routenbeck, Cork, f. o.

PORT GAMBLE, Dec. 17.—Sailed—Bk Roswell Sprague, San Francisco.

PORT TOWNSEND, Dec. 18.—Sailed—Bk Amie, San Pedro; bk Amethyst, Levouka; brig North Star, Manzanillo.

Dec. 18.—Arrived—Br bk Royal Tar, Yokohama.

FALMOUTH, Dec. 5.—Sailed—Ger bk Musca, Maryport; Br ship Cilurnum, Hull.

QUEENSTOWN, Dec. 17.—Arrived—Br ship Cairnsmoor, San Francisco.

Spoken—Oct. 26, lat 11 S, long 35 W, Am bk Western Belle, New York, Aug. 11, for Portland.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Arrived—Str City of Para, Aspinwall.

KINGSTOWN, Dec. 7.—Arrived—Br ship Pomona, San Francisco.

LIMERICK, Dec. 8.—Arrived—Br bk Ladstock, San Francisco.

LIZARD, Dec. 6.—Passed—Br bk Glenperis, Portland to U. K.

OFF EDDYSTONE, Dec. 5.—Br ship Taunton, Portland to U. K.

ASTORIA, Dec. 19.—Str Oregon arrived in at 11 A. M.; started up at 12 M. The Almira Robinson, in tow of the Ordway, arrived down at 11 A. M.

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600 Savage	2 55@2 45	1810 Union	14¾@14½
150 Con Va	1 45@1 50	130 Alta	4 25@4 20
25 Chollar	1 35	50 Caledonia	10c
300 Potosi	1 65	350 S Hill	25@30c
455 H & N	2 10@1 15	50 Challenge	50c
100 Point	1 05	100 Andes	1
500 Jacket	3 50@3 75	25 Justice	50c
350 Imperial	55c	150 Benton	60@75c
575 Belcher	1½	375 Scorpion	1 25@1 20
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305 S Nev	9½@9¾	500 Regent	20c

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10 N Belle	5	200 Mono	50c
90 Albion	1 80@1 75	200 Oddenda	30c
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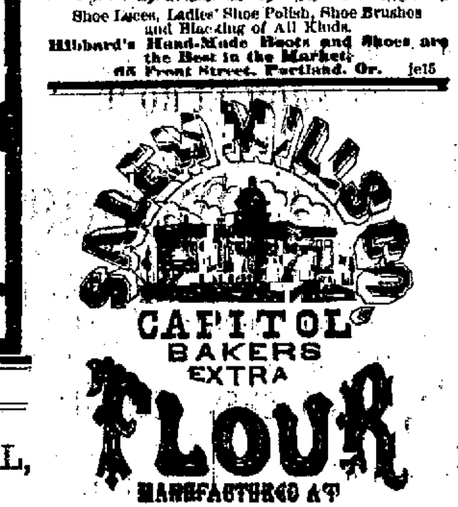

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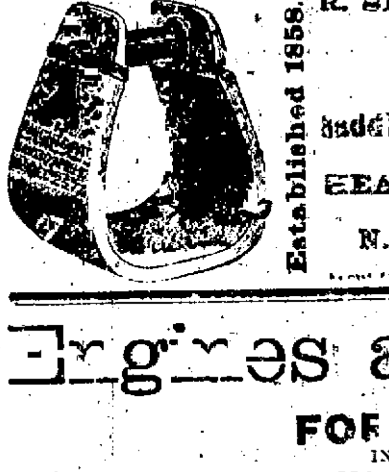

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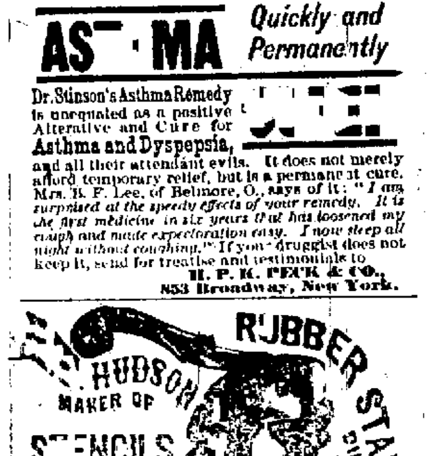

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